

NEWPORT DAILY NEWS.

MONDAY, August 12, 1867.

A YACHTING EXPERIENCE.

Concluded.

Sunday was a day of rest. On Monday we had a boat race, and the sailors swam after a greased pig, and visits were paid all around; and at night there were fire-works; and rockets and Roman candles, and blue lights and Greek fire, and the firing of cannon, made Phantoms of all the yachts in the breathless and clouded night.

Tuesday was the day fixed for the race to Cornfield Light-boat and around it, and it was an excitement throughout. The Eva's guns were brought aft and placed under the dining-table in the cabin, all disposable weight was brought astern, and the guests were cautioned to keep up to windward and not let their heads rise above the bulwarks; "because you see," said Uncle Nat, "every pound tells." Presently the yachts were all in line, and the first gun was fired, the anchors were hove short, men stood by to trip them, others at the jib-handles, watches were looked at again and again till the ten minutes between the two guns seemed an hour. "Stand by men, it's almost time" said Haff, as the tenth minute was on the face of the dial-plate. Bang—goes the gun from the Phantom. No need of commands then. Racket, tramp, click, everywhere. Up went the jibs; up came the anchors, as the great sails, paying the heads of the vessels off, tore them from their hold, ing ground. The water gurgled under the stems, the white sun leaped before the bows, and away, with a favoring wind, sped the gallant squadron out into the Sound.

The immediate competitor of the Eva was a great white schooner, reputed the fastest of her class in the squadron; and as the first buoy was cleared, the two came close together. It was a moment of great interest. Everything depended on the steadiness of the wind and the handling of the sailing master. The Eva was to windward. The schooner was between her and the buoy; both were under good way and moving at nearly the same speed, close-hauled. The thing to be done was to get the Eva to go faster. So the sailing master put up his helm, gave the sails a good fill, increased the pace, closed in upon the other vessel, deadened her wind by intercepting it and just at the very nick of time put the helm down, jibed, forged ahead, and the next instant the jibboom of the schooner was over the sloop's tall-mill, and the latter was bearing away on her course to the first Light-boat of Baileys' Reel. The advantage thus gained was never lost during the day.

This, to those on board the Eva, was the incident of the race. How the rest of it sped it is not necessary to record. It may be remarked however, that the cook and steward having been sent ashore to make room for gullets, the rules of the club limiting all hands to sixteen, the fire went out, and the only *joue majeure* of the cruise was the day of the race. The Eva came in far ahead of all her competitors; and as she rounded to windward of the Dauntless, the Vice-Chamadore who had given the plate conceded for, and who had won for himself and his country so honorable a share in his December victory in the Henricus, was about a mile astern of the Sappho.

2.50. The Sappho on the weather quarter of the Palmer, distant about 1 mile. The Palmer is the next boat, being about 1 mile astern of the Sappho.

2.57. The Sappho rounds the stake boat off Block Island.

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Local News Items.

Cruise of the New York Yacht Squadron.

SATURDAY, Aug. 10—9 A. M.

The yachts are swinging at their anchors in the harbor, their sails flapping in the breeze, like a high mettled steed stamping his hoof, impatient for the signal to start. The owners of the heavy yachts are waiting for a strong breeze and good sea to enable them to show their powers of sailing, and on board all the vessels preparations are noticeable for the coming contest. An effort has been making by some of the yacht commanders to postpone the race until October, but without success.

The incidents of the sail down from Mount Hope, yesterday, form a subject of discussion among the yacht commanders. Bennett's experience thus far with the Dauntless, purchased by him of S. D. Bradford, Esq., last Spring, has not, probably, impressed him very favorably in regard to her sailing qualities. She was beaten by the Palmer forty minutes in sailing from Mount Hope to Newport, and fell considerably astern of some others of the squadron. The Phantom, established her reputation as a smart sailor in a moderate wind-swell; she and the Palmer came neck and neck. Yesterday was the first favorable occasion for the sailing of the new yacht Sappho with the squadron. She behaved beautifully, and when her real sailing trim has been gone home, only the Dauntless, Sappho, Wigwam, Ildog, Adlie Woodlark and White Wing, remain. The Sappho, Wigwam, and Ildog will go east to-day.

POLE THE VINEYARD.—The excursion of the Vineyard, advertised in our columns to-day, will afford a fine opportunity to enjoy a beautiful sail and to see the fine arrangements of the camp meeting on the Vineyard.

There will be music at the Atlantic house this evening by the New York Germania Band, and continue for the next four weeks every evening from 9 until 11.

NEWPORT, Aug. 10, 1867.

Editor of the Daily News:

GENTLEMEN,

I hear from Mr. Gould, who had charge of the "Nautilus" in my absence, that he arrived at Mount Hope, on Friday, 8 minutes behind the Magic, the first boat there. On returning from Mount Hope to Newport, the first boat off, Nautilus 9 minutes after.

Nautilus arrived in Newport and had her anchor down 12 minutes before the Fleet, winging her gun on arrival; the other yachts all arriving after the fast signal.

This afternoon bring on board one of the yachts which arrived later in the evening, was not in a position to judge of the position of those in advance. We cheerfully make the correction.

Newspapers.

THE Sappho has the weather gauge of the fleet, and is leading up in fine style. The Palmer is two miles ahead, but to the rearward. The balance of the fleet are well up, astern. There are only eleven yachts in the race—six schooners and two sloops. The latter are astern, but holding up well.

2 o'clock. The wind breezes.

The race is between the Palmer and Sappho. Both are doing a good business, the Palmer having a little the advantage; Block Island S. W. by E. about 6 miles.

2.30. The Sappho on the weather quarter of the Palmer, distant about 1 mile. The Palmer is the next boat, being about 1 mile astern of the Sappho.

2.37. The Sappho rounds the stake boat off Block Island.

2.37. The Palmer rounds the stake boat.

THE BANKERS' & MERCHANTS'

SECOND GRAND

Presentation Entertainment,

WILL POSITIVELY TAKE PLACE,

Saturday, August 24, 1867.

A Irving Hall, N. Y.

This Grand Distribution of Prizes will be conducted on the

MUTUAL BENEFIT PRINCIPLE.

A PRO RATA Distribution to Ticket-Holders.

CAPITAL, \$1,287,148

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR EACH,

And limited to One Million Two Hundred Eighty-seven Thousand, One Hundred and Forty-Eight.

The Earliest and Most Importunate Plan of Presentation yet offered to the Public.

A PRIZE WITH EVERY TICKET.

PROSPECTUS.

A number of the leading Bankers and Merchants of New York, in consideration of the great success which has attended many of the charitable Entertainments, the Entertainment of the Mutual Benefit Principle, have decided to make the first and most important, an enterprise which, while it shall retain them a fair profit, shall offer greater advantages to ticket-holders than any other plan. The tickets will be sold at a price of one dollar each, and the proceeds shall be free from those obnoxious features which have characterized many of these enterprises.

To those who have purchased the sale of tickets and the rendering of the service, to Clark, Webster & Co., Peckham & Co., No. 22 Broad Street, New York, who will have the largest interest in the success of the Grand Presentation Entertainment, when they will be liable to a committee selected by the audience to ascertain impartial distribution of prizes.

A reference to the numbers of sales, and the general plan of distribution, given below, will convince even the most skeptical of the great advantages which will accrue to all who participate in the enterprise; and the Committee of Managers are anxious to have the public, power a sufficient guarantee of the fairness and impartiality with which everything is conducted with the scheme will be conducted, so that the interests of every participant shall be fully protected and watched over and guarded. In fact, if it is desired by the Managers to conduct every transaction for the mutual benefit of whosoever shall purchase a ticket, and especially to avoid any and every thing which could in the slightest degree diminish the profits which are likely to accrue to all who invest.

LIST OF PRIZES.

CASH PRIZES.		
One Cash Prize,.....	\$1,287,148	\$1,287,148
One Cash Prize,.....	50,000	50,000
One Cash Prize,.....	25,000	25,000
Two Cash Prizes,.....	10,000	10,000
Three Cash Prizes,.....	5,000	5,000
Four Cash Prizes,.....	3,000	3,000
Five Cash Prizes,.....	2,000	2,000
Six Cash Prizes,.....	1,000	1,000
Twenty Cash Prizes,.....	500	500
Twenty-five Cash Prizes,.....	300	300
Forty Cash Prizes,.....	100	100
Seventy-five Cash Prizes,.....	50	50
One Prize,.....	25	25
One hundred and fifty Cash Prizes,.....	25	25
Prizes,.....	25	25
One hundred and seventy-five Cash Prizes,.....	25	25
Two hundred and fifty Cash Prizes,.....	25	25
Sixty Cash Prizes, amounting to,.....	2,000	2,000
PLATINUM.		
\$ Steinway's Grand Piano,.....	\$1,600	\$1,600
8 Chelmsford's Grand Piano,.....	1,200	1,200
\$ Steinway's Seven Octave Piano,.....	800	800
8 Chelmsford's Seven Octave Piano,.....	600	600
8 Chelmsford's Six Octave Piano,.....	400	400
8 Chelmsford's Five Octave Piano,.....	300	300
8 Chelmsford's Four Octave Piano,.....	200	200
8 Chelmsford's Three Octave Piano,.....	150	150
8 Chelmsford's Two Octave Piano,.....	100	100
8 Chelmsford's One Octave Piano,.....	50	50
8 Chelmsford's Grand Clav. & C. Organ,.....	300	300
8 Chelmsford's Grand Clav. & C. Organ,.....	200	200
8 Chelmsford's Grand Clav. & C. Organ,.....	150	150
8 Chelmsford's Grand Clav. & C. Organ,.....	100	100
8 Chelmsford's Grand Clav. & C. Organ,.....	50	50
SEWING MACHINES.		
15 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	\$100	\$100
101 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	80	80
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	75	75
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	60	60
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	50	50
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	40	40
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	30	30
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	20	20
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	10	10
125 Wheeler & Wilson's case Sewing Machine,.....	5	5
GOLD WATCHES.		
15 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	\$200	\$200
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	150	150
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	125	125
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	100	100
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	80	80
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	60	60
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	40	40
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	25	25
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	15	15
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	10	10
25 Gentle Gold Watch,.....	5	5
SILVER WATCHES.		
65 American Silver Watch,.....	\$25	\$25
125 American Silver Watch,.....	20	20
125 American Silver Watch,.....	15	15
125 American Silver Watch,.....	10	10
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	8	8
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	6	6
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	5	5
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	4	4
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	3	3
25 Detached Lever Watch,.....	2	2
Total value of Prizes,.....	\$1,287,148	
BANKERS and Merchants First Grand Concert was given on July 4th. It was a grand success. The managers held a meeting with the date of the entertainment, and invited the leading bankers and leading brokers and merchants, to examine the correspondence number of tickets and Register books, to see that all numbered tickets were made the grand distribution of prizes at the last concert on the 4th of August, 1867.		
125 Immediately after the Grand Distribution, a list of the Prizes awarded will be printed and sent to each ticket-holder.		
TICKETS ONE DOLLAR EACH.		
For sale at the Franklin Office of Clark, Webster & Co., 22 Broadway, N. Y., or by mail on receipt of letter and stamp for return postage.		
We can still get in touch with the managers to prove that the distribution of prizes will positively take place on that day. It would be advisable for those wishing to purchase tickets to order at once, so as to prevent us to register them before the day of the grand distribution.		
SPECIAL TERMS OR CLUB RATES.		
No greater discount will be allowed on single number of tickets.		
25 Sets to one address,.....	\$2.70	
50 Sets to one address,.....	5.50	
100 Sets to one address,.....	10.00	
250 Sets to one address,.....	25.00	
500 Sets to one address,.....	50.00	
1000 Sets to one address,.....	100.00	
2000 Sets to one address,.....	200.00	
4000 Sets to one address,.....	400.00	
6000 Sets to one address,.....	600.00	
8000 Sets to one address,.....	800.00	
10000 Sets to one address,.....	1000.00	
12500 Sets to one address,.....	1250.00	
15000 Sets to one address,.....	1500.00	
17500 Sets to one address,.....	1750.00	
20000 Sets to one address,.....	2000.00	
22500 Sets to one address,.....	2250.00	
25000 Sets to one address,.....	2500.00	
27500 Sets to one address,.....	2750.00	
30000 Sets to one address,.....	3000.00	
32500 Sets to one address,.....	3250.00	
35000 Sets to one address,.....	3500.00	
37500 Sets to one address,.....	3750.00	
40000 Sets to one address,.....	4000.00	
42500 Sets to one address,.....	4250.00	
45000 Sets to one address,.....	4500.00	
47500 Sets to one address,.....	4750.00	
50000 Sets to one address,.....	5000.00	
52500 Sets to one address,.....	5250.00	
55000 Sets to one address,.....	5500.00	
57500 Sets to one address,.....	5750.00	
60000 Sets to one address,.....	6000.00	
62500 Sets to one address,.....	6250.00	
65000 Sets to one address,.....	6500.00	
67500 Sets to one address,.....	6750.00	
70000 Sets to one address,.....	7000.00	
72500 Sets to one address,.....	7250.00	
75000 Sets to one address,.....	7500.00	
77500 Sets to one address,.....	7750.00	
80000 Sets to one address,.....	8000.00	
82500 Sets to one address,.....	8250.00	
85000 Sets to one address,.....	8500.00	
87500 Sets to one address,.....	8750.00	
90000 Sets to one address,.....	9000.00	
92500 Sets to one address,.....	9250.00	
95000 Sets to one address,.....	9500.00	
97500 Sets to one address,.....	9750.00	
100000 Sets to one address,.....	10000.00	
102500 Sets to one address,.....	10250.00	
105000 Sets to one address,.....	10500.00	
107500 Sets to one address,.....	10750.00	
110000 Sets to one address,.....	11000.00	
112500 Sets to one address,.....	11250.00	
115000 Sets to one address,.....	11500.00	
117500 Sets to one address,.....	11750.00	
120000 Sets to one address,.....	12000.00	
122500 Sets to one address,.....	12250.00	
125000 Sets to one address,.....	12500.00	
127500 Sets to one address,.....	12750.00	
130000 Sets to one address,.....	13000.00	
132500 Sets to one address,.....	13250.00	
135000 Sets to one address,.....	13500.00	
137500 Sets to one address,.....	13750.00	
140000 Sets to one address,.....	14000.00	
142500 Sets to one address,.....	14250.00	
145000 Sets to one address,.....	14500.00	
147500 Sets to one address,.....	14750.00	
150000 Sets to one address,.....	15000.00	
152500 Sets to one address,.....	15250.00	
155000 Sets to one address,.....	15500.00	
157500 Sets to one address,.....	15750.00	
160000 Sets to one address,.....	16000.00	
162500 Sets to one address,.....	16250.00	
165000 Sets to one address,.....	16500.00	
167500 Sets to one address,.....	16750.00	
170000 Sets to one address,.....	17000.00	
172500 Sets to one address,.....	17250.00	
175000 Sets to one address,.....	17500.00	
177500 Sets to one address,.....	17750.00	
180000 Sets to one address,.....	18000.00	
182500 Sets to one address,.....	18250.00	
185000 Sets to one address,.....	18500.00	
187500 Sets to one address,.....	18750.00	
190000 Sets to one address,.....	19000.00	
192500 Sets to one address,.....	19250.00	
195000 Sets to one address,.....	19500.00	
197500 Sets to one address,.....	19750.00	
200000 Sets to one address,.....	20000.00	
202500 Sets to one address,.....	20250.00	
205000 Sets to one address,.....	20500.00	
207500 Sets to one address,.....	20750.00	
210000 Sets to one address,.....	21000.00	
212500 Sets to one address,.....	21250.00	
215000 Sets to one address,.....	21500.00	
217500 Sets to one address,.....	21750.00	
220000 Sets to one address,.....	22000.00	
222500 Sets to one address,.....	22250.00	
225000 Sets to one address,.....	22500.00	
227500 Sets to one address,.....	22750.00	
230000 Sets to one address,.....	23000.00	
232500 Sets to one address,.....	23250.00	
235000 Sets to one address,.....	23500.00	
237500 Sets to one address,.....	23750.00	